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Much-Decorated Ft. MacArthur Chief:

Gen. Roberts Takes Final Salute

After 37 years of service, Maj. Gen. Frank N. Roberts, senior Army commander in Southern California and commanding general of Fort MacArthur retired yesterday amid colorful ceremonies at the post.

Graduated from West Point in 1920, Gen. Roberts is one of the few Army officers to hold the Navy Cross and has held many important positions.

At the retirement ceremony, Fort MacArthur troops including members of the 47th AAA Brigade, and Don Belding, Southern California Brigade, a Women's Army Corps unit and ROTC cadets of the Army.

from Long Beach Polytechnic High School paraded in Gen. Roberts' honor.

Standing with the general as he took his final salute were Maj. Perry, commanding general of the Order of the British Empire, will become Gen. Robert Howze, deputy a civilian worker at the Central Intelligence Agency in Sixth Army, Brig. Gen. W. A. Washington, D. C.